

URGENT TO ORIGINAL Men and Women Asked to Enroll in the D. C. Associations.

REGISTRATION BLANK.
I hereby apply for membership in the citizens' association in my neighborhood and submit \$1 on account of dues:

Name _____
Address _____

Mail to Registration Week Headquarters, room 501, District building. The committee will forward your application to the association in whose territory you reside.

The committee in charge of citizens' association membership campaign appeals today to those men and women who have not yet signed up to visit one of the registration booths this evening and enroll in the cause of civic welfare.

Beginning tomorrow the registrars in all sections of the city will devote their attention to canvassing the homes, but the committee is anxious to have as many men and women as possible come forward without solicitation and register at one of the booths.

Location of Booths.
Booths are located in all police stations, fire houses and neighborhood stores throughout the city. The placards in the windows indicate where the booths have been placed.

Announcement was made today at registration headquarters in the District building that Miss Margaret Gorman, winner in the beauty contest, would be on duty as a registrar at the booth at Polk's Theater tomorrow.

The Polk's booth is in charge of the local branch of the American Women's organization, the former organizations that volunteered to aid the men of the city in gaining recognition for the citizens' movement. Mrs. William A. Gorman, national president of the League of American Pen Women, also will be at the Polk's booth. Mrs. Gorman, Miss N. Barclay Young today took charge of a booth at Keith's Theater.

Information was received at registration headquarters today that many government employees were hesitating at registration for membership in a local citizens' association because of a fear that it would affect the vote they exercise in the states.

Don Herby Explains.
Don H. Herby, chairman of registration week, again made it clear today that the citizens' associations of the District have no legal voting powers and that membership in one of these organizations could in no way affect a vote in one of the states.

The sole purpose of the association, Mr. Herby said, is to give the disfranchised people of Washington channels through which to present to the authorities the municipal needs of the city.

Hundreds of new members have registered since the campaign opened on Monday, but Mr. Herby said today all of the campaign workers have been too busy soliciting to tabulate the results of their work.

Each association has organized teams to canvass its own locality, and a general committee is working to enroll new members in the office buildings and other establishments in the downtown section.

The campaign will continue until Monday.

EMPRESS THWARTS CHARLES IN EFFORT TO SHOOT HIMSELF

(Continued from First Page.)

Avail. Charles' troops, realizing that they had been caught between two fires, the government troops in front and the forces of Lord Fairfax and Baron Ponoy behind—became panic-stricken and Charles was soon left with only two cohorts of men who were obliged to surrender.

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Former Premier Friedrich and Gustave Graf, former foreign minister, have been arrested. The emperor and empress are generally considered to have been the main figures in the emperor's attempt to overthrow the government.

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The new vice chairman was manager of the Pennsylvania-Delaware division of the Red Cross from October, 1917, to April, 1921. He was president of the Giant Portland Cement Company, a director of the Railway Steel Spring Company, and a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Scott recently returned from Europe, where he aided in the closing of the Red Cross general relief operations.

GEN. DIAZ GUEST AT FORT MYER, VA.

Admiral Beatty Received by Mr. Denby Japanese Make Many Calls.

Gen. Diaz of Italy, Admiral Lord Beatty of Great Britain and Lieut. Gen. Baron Jacques de Belgium, who are in America as the guests of the American Legion, and who have been in Washington since Sunday afternoon, spent today quietly and in a more or less informal manner.

The Japanese military leaders, Gen. Tanaka and Vice Admiral Kato, who are here in preparation for the armament conference, spent the day in a round of calls and the receiving of visitors at their hotel.

Bliss Visits Fort Myer.
Gen. Diaz and the staff that is accompanying him on the trip were the guests of the nation at the Army post at Fort Myer, Va., today. He inspected the famous old Army reservation and afterward reviewed a parade of the cavalry and artillery.

Those with him were Gen. Kennedy de Luca, his chief of staff; Maj. Barclay, Lieut. Prince Ruspoli, Capt. Carlos Huntington, military attaché at the Italian embassy here, and Col. M. C. Buckley, U.S.A., who has been detailed by the War Department to accompany Gen. Diaz during his stay in this country.

When the distinguished visitors entered the grounds of the reservation at 10 o'clock the customary military salute was given them by the band. They stood on the north side of the parade grounds the party was formally received by the staff of the post and his staff. Following an exchange of congratulations and the presentation of the national air of Italy and the United States by the Fort Myer Cavalry band, the party moved to the headquarters of the post, where they were met by the staff of the post and his staff.